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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF OREGON  
PORTLAND DIVISION**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

**3:21-cr-**

**74 HZ**

**v.**

**INDICTMENT**

**CHEYENNE AUTUMN FRANKLIN,**

**18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1) and (o)**

**18 U.S.C. § 2**

**Defendant.**

**Forfeiture Allegation**

**THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:**

**COUNT 1**

**(Illegal Possession and Transfer of a Machine Gun)  
(18 U.S.C. §§ 922(o) and 2)**

On or about August 12, 2020, in the District of Oregon, defendant **CHEYENNE AUTUMN FRANKLIN**, did knowingly possess and transfer a machinegun, that is, a weapon which shoots, is designed to shoot, or can be readily restored to shoot, automatically more than one shot, without manual reloading, by a single function of the trigger (26 U.S.C. § 5845(b)), to wit: an Unknown manufacturer Sten-type machinegun, 9mm Parabellum caliber, with no serial number;

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Sections 922(o) and 2.

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**Indictment**

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**COUNT 2**  
**(Felon in Possession of a Firearm)**  
**(18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1))**

On or about August 12, 2020, in the District of Oregon, defendant **CHEYENNE AUTUMN FRANKLIN**, knowing that she had been previously convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, specifically:

1. Felon in Possession of a Firearm, on or about May 23, 2012, in Marion County Circuit Court, State of Oregon, Case Number 11C50269,
2. Identity Theft, on or about January 2, 2002, in Linn County Circuit Court, State of Oregon, Case Number 01122968,

did knowingly and unlawfully possess the following firearms:

1. An unknown manufacturer Sten-type machinegun, 9mm Parabellum caliber, with no serial number, and
2. A Mossberg shotgun, model 195, 12-gauge, with no serial number,

which firearms had previously been shipped or transported in interstate or foreign commerce.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

**COUNT 3**  
**(Felon in Possession of a Firearm)**  
**(18 U.S.C. § 922(g)(1))**

On or about August 13, 2020, in the District of Oregon, defendant **CHEYENNE AUTUMN FRANKLIN**, knowing that she had been previously convicted of a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year, specifically:

1. Felon in Possession of a Firearm, on or about May 23, 2012, in Marion County Circuit Court, State of Oregon, Case Number 11C50269,

2. Identity Theft, on or about January 2, 2002, in Linn County Circuit Court, State of Oregon, Case Number 01122968,

did knowingly and unlawfully possess the following firearms:

1. a High Standard rifle, unknown model, .22 caliber, serial number unknown, and
2. a Hawk Industries, Inc., model H&R Pardner Pump, 20-gauge shotgun, bearing serial number NZ809485,

which firearms had previously been shipped or transported in interstate or foreign commerce.

In violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

#### **FORFEITURE ALLEGATION**

Upon conviction of the offenses in Counts 1, 2, or 3, defendant shall forfeit to the United States pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), the firearms involved in those offenses, including:

1. an Unknown manufacturer Sten-type machinegun, 9mm Parabellum caliber, with no serial number,
2. a Mossberg shotgun, model 195, 12-gauge, serial number unknown,

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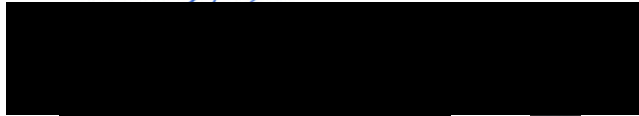
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3. a High Standard rifle, unknown model, .22 caliber, serial number unknown, and
4. a Hawk Industries, Inc., model H&R Pardner Pump, 20-gauge shotgun, bearing serial number NZ809485,

and all associated ammunition.

Dated: March 9, 2021

A TRUE BILL.



OFFICIATING FOREPERSON

Presented by:

SCOTT ERIK ASPHAUG  
Acting United States Attorney

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Leah K. Bolstad".

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